

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant: K. Inoue  
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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION

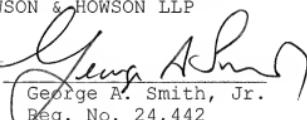
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Sir:

The applicant requests one month's extension of the time to respond to the Official action of May 8, 2008, so that the deadline for response is extended from August 8, 2008 to September 8, 2008. This request is being filed with a request for continued examination and an amendment. Please charge the extension fee, and any deficiency in the fees, to our deposit account 08-3040.

Respectfully submitted,  
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